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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

STATE FARM GENERAL INSURANCE
COMPANY.

CASE NO. C 05-0772 PJH

**STIPULATION TO CONTINUE
MEDIATION DEADLINE; [PROPOSED]
ORDER**

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY and
DOES 1 through 25,

Defendants.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY and
DOES 1 through 25,

Pursuant to Local Rules 6-2 and 7-12, Plaintiff STATE FARM GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY ("Plaintiff") and Defendant GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY ("Defendant"), by and through their attorneys of record, hereby submit to the following Stipulation to continue the deadline for completion of mediation in the above-referenced matter from October 28, 2005 to January 20, 2006.

REASON FOR REQUEST

The parties have worked in good faith to conduct the necessary discovery in order to prepare this case for a meaningful mediation. Both parties agree that the deposition of the insureds must occur before either party can meaningfully evaluate the case. The parties are working diligently to set up the deposition of the insureds, but have not been able to reach them to date. Counsel for Plaintiff suspects the insureds have been on vacation. After the deposition

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1 of the insureds, the parties will be able to better assess whether any other discovery is necessary
2 before a mediation.

3 Accordingly, the parties stipulate and request that the Court vacate the current mediation
4 deadline of October 28, 2005 and continue the deadline for completion of mediation to January
5 20, 2006.

6 **STIPULATION**

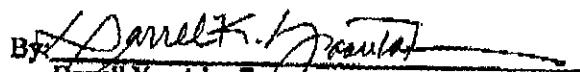
7 1. The parties agree to participate in mediation after the necessary discovery has
8 been concluded.

9 2. The parties stipulate and request that the Court extend the mediation deadline
10 from October 28, 2005, to January 20, 2006.

11 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

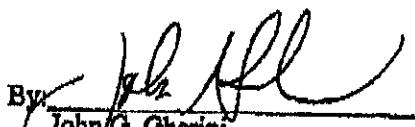
13 DATED: October 21, 2005

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30 STIPULATION TO CONTINUE MEDIATION DEADLINE

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[PROPOSED] ORDER

Pursuant to the Stipulation above, the deadline for mediation in the above captioned matter is hereby continued to January 20, 2006.

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED:

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE